

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : ORDER
-v.- : 07 Cr. 1039 (LAK)
ROBERT RODRIGUEZ, :
a/k/a "Robert Guzman," and :
IRVING SANTIAGO, :
a/k/a "Eric Santiago," :
a/k/a "Jenkins Santiago," :
Defendants. :

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WHEREAS, with the defendant Irving Santiago's consent,
his guilty plea allocution was taken before a United States
Magistrate Judge on March 18, 2008;

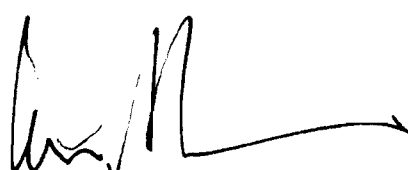
WHEREAS, a transcript of the allocution was made and
thereafter was transmitted to the District Court; and

WHEREAS, upon review of that transcript, this Court has
determined that the defendant Irving Santiago entered the guilty
plea knowingly and voluntarily and that there was a factual basis
for the guilty plea;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the defendant Irving
Santiago's guilty plea is accepted.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: New York, New York
July 1, 2008


LEWIS A. KAPLAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE